BLM5106- Advanced Algorithm Analysis and Design

Asymptotic Notations and Basic Efficiency Classes

Asymptotic Notations

• $1 < \log n < \sqrt{n} < n < n \log n < n^2 < n^3 < \dots < 2^n < 3^n < \dots < n^n$

O big oh upper bound $\Omega \ \mbox{big omega} \qquad \mbox{lower bound}$ $\Theta \ \mbox{big theta} \qquad \mbox{average bound}$

O big oh

$$f(n) \in O(g(n)) \text{ if } \exists (+) \text{ constant } c \text{ and non negative integer } n_0$$

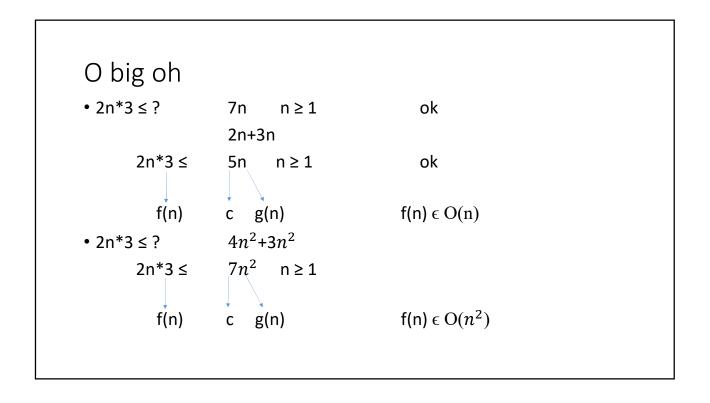
$$f(n) \leq c * g(n) \forall n \geq n_0$$

$$f(n) = 2n*3$$

$$2n*3 \leq ?$$

$$2n*3 \leq 10n \quad n \geq 1$$

$$f(n) \quad c \quad g(n) \qquad f(n) \in O(n)$$



O big oh

- $f(n) \in O(n)$ ok
- $f(n) \in O(n^2)$ ok
- $f(n) \in O(2^n)$ ok

upper bound

 $1 < \log n < \sqrt{n} < n < n \log n < n^2 < n^3 < ... < 2^n < 3^n < ... < n^n$

• $f(n) \in O(\log n)$ not ok

Ω big omega

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f(n) \in \Omega(g(n)) if \exists (+) constant c and n_0 non negative integer
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$$f(n) \ge c * g(n) \forall n \ge n_0$$

$$f(n) = 2n*3$$

$$2n*3 \ge 1*n \ \forall \ n \ge 1$$

f(n) c
$$g(n)$$

2n*3 $\geq \log n \ V \ n \geq 1$

$$f(n) \in \Omega(n)$$

$$f(n) \in \Omega (\log n)$$

$$f(n) \in \Omega(n^2)$$

not ok

Ω big omega

$$f(n) = 2n*3$$
 $f(n) \in \Omega(n)$ ok $f(n) \in \Omega(\log n)$ ok

lower bound upper bound

 $1 < \log n < \sqrt{n} < n < n < n < n^2 < n^3 < \dots < 2^n < 3^n < \dots < n^n$

Θ big theta

 $f(n) \in \Theta$ (g(n)) if \exists (+) constant c_1, c_2 and n_0 non negative int $c_1 * g(n) \le f(n) \le c_2 * g(n)$

$$f(n) = 2n+3$$

 $1*n \le 2n+3 \le 5*n$

 $c_1 g(n) f(n) c_2 g(n)$

lower bound

average bound

upper bound

 $f(n) = \Theta(n)$

 $1 < \log n < \sqrt{n} < n > n \log n < n^2 < n^3 < ... < 2^n < 3^n < ... < n^n$

Θ big theta

 $\frac{1}{2}$ n(n-1) $\in \Theta(n^2)$?

Upper bound:

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$$\frac{1}{2}n^{2} - \frac{n}{2} \le \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{g}(n)$$

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Lower bound:

Θ big theta

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• 1/4 g(n) \le 1/2 n^2 - 1/2 n \le 1/2 g(n)
n_0=1? Not ok
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$$n_0=2 ? Ok$$
 (better)
 $n_0=3 ? Ok$

Θ big theta

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• f(n)=4n^2 +5n +4

4n^2 +5n +4 \ge n^2 \Omega(n^2)

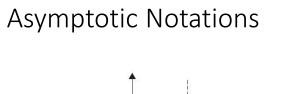
4n^2 +5n +4 \le 9n^2 O(n^2)

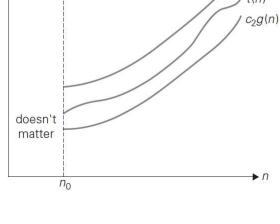
n^2 \le 4n^2 +5n +4 \le 9n^2 \Theta(n^2)

g(n)
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• f(n)=n^2\log n + n

n^2\log n \le n^2\log n + n \le 5 n^2\log n
g(n)
\Omega\left(n^2\log n\right)
O(n^2\log n)
O(n^2\log n)
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 $c_1g(n)$

Analyzing algorithms that comprise two consecutively executed parts

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THEOREM If t_1(n) \in O(g_1(n)) and t_2(n) \in O(g_2(n)), then t_1(n) + t_2(n) \in O(\max\{g_1(n), g_2(n)\}).

PROOF a_1, b_1, a_2, b_2: if a_1 \le b_1 and a_2 \le b_2, then a_1 + a_2 \le 2 \max\{b_1, b_2\}

t_1(n) \le c_1 g_1(n) \quad \text{for all } n \ge n_1
t_2(n) \le c_2 g_2(n) \quad \text{for all } n \ge n_2
c_3 = \max\{c_1, c_2\} \quad n \ge \max\{n_1, n_2\}
t_1(n) + t_2(n) \le c_1 g_1(n) + c_2 g_2(n)
\le c_3 g_1(n) + c_3 g_2(n) = c_3 [g_1(n) + g_2(n)]
\le c_3 2 \max\{g_1(n), g_2(n)\}
t_1(n) + t_2(n) \in O(\max\{g_1(n), g_2(n)\})
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Analyzing algorithms that comprise two consecutively executed parts

• Check whether an array has equal elements by a two-part algorithm: sort the array $-> 2 n(n-1) O(n^2)$

scan the sorted array -> n-1 O(n)

- $O(\max\{n2, n\}) = O(n2)$
- Algorithm's overall efficiency is determined by the part with a higher order of growth, i.e., its least efficient part.
- What will be the space-efficiency class of the entire algorithm?

Using Limits for Comparing Orders of Growth

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{t(n)}{g(n)} = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{implies that } t(n) \text{ has a smaller order of growth than } g(n), \\ c & \text{implies that } t(n) \text{ has the same order of growth as } g(n), \\ \infty & \text{implies that } t(n) \text{ has a larger order of growth than } g(n). \end{cases}$$

$$t(n) \in O(g(n)) \qquad t(n) \in \Omega(g(n)) \qquad t(n) \in \Theta(g(n))$$

Using Limits for Comparing Orders of Growth

Compare the orders of growth of $\frac{1}{2}n(n-1)$ and n^2

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{\frac{1}{2}n(n-1)}{n^2} = \frac{1}{2} \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{n^2 - n}{n^2} = \frac{1}{2} \lim_{n \to \infty} (1 - \frac{1}{n}) = \frac{1}{2}$$
$$\frac{1}{2}n(n-1) \in \Theta(n^2)$$

• What about $\lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{n^2}{\frac{1}{2}n(n-1)}$

Using Limits for Comparing Orders of Growth

Compare the orders of growth of n! and 2^n

$$n! \approx \sqrt{2\pi n} \left(\frac{n}{e}\right)^n$$
 for large values of n

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{n!}{2^n} = \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{\sqrt{2\pi n} \left(\frac{n}{e}\right)^n}{2^n} = \lim_{n \to \infty} \sqrt{2\pi n} \frac{n^n}{2^n e^n} = \lim_{n \to \infty} \sqrt{2\pi n} \left(\frac{n}{2e}\right)^n = \infty$$

$$n! \in \Omega(2^n) \quad \text{ok}$$

 Can big-Omega notation preclude the possibility that n! and 2n have the same order of growth?

Class	Name	Comments
1	constant	Short of best-case efficiencies, very few reasonable examples can be given since an algorithm's running time typically goes to infinity when its input size grows infinitely large.
log n	logarithmic	Typically, a result of cutting a problem's size by a constant factor on each iteration of the algorithm (see Section 4.4). Note that a logarithmic algorithm cannot take into account all its input or even a fixed fraction of it: any algorithm that does so will have at least linear running time.
n	linear	Algorithms that scan a list of size n (e.g., sequential search) belong to this class.
$n \log n$	linearithmic	Many divide-and-conquer algorithms (see Chapter 5), including mergesort and quicksort in the average case, fall into this category.
n^2	quadratic	Typically, characterizes efficiency of algorithms with two embedded loops (see the next section). Elementary sorting algorithms and certain operations on $n \times n$ matrices are standard examples.
n^3	cubic	Typically, characterizes efficiency of algorithms with three embedded loops (see the next section). Several nontrivial algorithms from linear algebra fall into this class.
2 ⁿ	exponential	Typical for algorithms that generate all subsets of an <i>n</i> -element set. Often, the term "exponential" is used in a broader sense to include this and larger orders of growth as well.
n!	factorial	Typical for algorithms that generate all permutations of an n -element set.

Mathematical Analysis of Nonrecursive and Recursive Algorithms

Mathematical Analysis of Nonrecursive Algorithms

```
ALGORITHM MaxElement(A[0..n-1])

//Determines the value of the largest element in a given array
//Input: An array A[0..n-1] of real numbers
//Output: The value of the largest element in A

maxval \leftarrow A[0]

for i \leftarrow 1 to n-1 do

if A[i] > maxval

maxval \leftarrow A[i]

return maxval

C(n) = \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} 1 = n-1 \in \Theta(n)
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Analyzing the Time Efficiency of Nonrecursive Algoritms

- 1. Decide on a parameter (or parameters) indicating an input's size.
- 2. Identify the algorithm's basic operation.
- **3.** Check whether the number of times the basic operation is executed depends only on the size of an input.
- **4.** Set up a sum expressing the number of times the algorithm's basic operation is executed.
- **5.** Using standard formulas and rules of sum manipulation, either find a closedform formula for the count or, at the very least, establish its order of growth.

Properties of Logarithms

- 1. $\log_a 1 = 0$
- 2. $\log_a a = 1$
- $3. \quad \log_a x^y = y \log_a x$
- $4. \quad \log_a xy = \log_a x + \log_a y$
- $5. \quad \log_a \frac{x}{y} = \log_a x \log_a y$
- $6. \quad a^{\log_b x} = x^{\log_b a}$
- 7. $\log_a x = \frac{\log_b x}{\log_b a} = \log_a b \log_b x$

Combinatorics

- **1.** Number of permutations of an *n*-element set: P(n) = n!
- **2.** Number of *k*-combinations of an *n*-element set: $C(n, k) = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$
- 3. Number of subsets of an n-element set: 2^n

Important Summation Formulas

1.
$$\sum_{i=l} 1 = \underbrace{1+1+\cdots+1}_{u-l+1 \text{ times}} = u-l+1 \ (l, u \text{ are integer limits}, l \le u); \quad \sum_{i=1} 1 = n$$

2.
$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} i = 1 + 2 + \dots + n = \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \approx \frac{1}{2}n^2$$

3.
$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} i^2 = 1^2 + 2^2 + \dots + n^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6} \approx \frac{1}{3}n^3$$

4.
$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} i^{k} = 1^{k} + 2^{k} + \dots + n^{k} \approx \frac{1}{k+1} n^{k+1}$$

5.
$$\sum_{i=0}^{n} a^{i} = 1 + a + \dots + a^{n} = \frac{a^{n+1} - 1}{a - 1} \ (a \neq 1); \quad \sum_{i=0}^{n} 2^{i} = 2^{n+1} - 1$$

6.
$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} i2^{i} = 1 \cdot 2 + 2 \cdot 2^{2} + \dots + n2^{n} = (n-1)2^{n+1} + 2$$

7.
$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \frac{1}{i} = 1 + \frac{1}{2} + \dots + \frac{1}{n} \approx \ln n + \gamma$$
, where $\gamma \approx 0.5772 \dots$ (Euler's constant)

$$8. \quad \sum^n \lg i \approx n \lg n$$

Sum Manipulation Rules

$$1. \quad \sum_{i=l}^{u} ca_i = c \sum_{i=l}^{u} a_i$$

2.
$$\sum_{i=l}^{u} (a_i \pm b_i) = \sum_{i=l}^{u} a_i \pm \sum_{i=l}^{u} b_i$$

3.
$$\sum_{i=l}^{u} a_i = \sum_{i=l}^{m} a_i + \sum_{i=m+1}^{u} a_i$$
, where $l \le m < u$

4.
$$\sum_{i=l}^{u} (a_i - a_{i-1}) = a_u - a_{l-1}$$

Floor and Ceiling Formulas

The *floor* of a real number x, denoted $\lfloor x \rfloor$, is defined as the greatest integer not larger than x (e.g., $\lfloor 3.8 \rfloor = 3$, $\lfloor -3.8 \rfloor = -4$, $\lfloor 3 \rfloor = 3$). The *ceiling* of a real number x, denoted $\lceil x \rceil$, is defined as the smallest integer not smaller than x (e.g., $\lceil 3.8 \rceil = 4$, $\lceil -3.8 \rceil = -3$, $\lceil 3 \rceil = 3$).

- $1. \quad x 1 < \lfloor x \rfloor \le x \le \lceil x \rceil < x + 1$
- **2.** $\lfloor x + n \rfloor = \lfloor x \rfloor + n$ and $\lceil x + n \rceil = \lceil x \rceil + n$ for real x and integer n
- 3. $\lfloor n/2 \rfloor + \lceil n/2 \rceil = n$
- **4.** $\lceil \lg(n+1) \rceil = \lfloor \lg n \rfloor + 1$

Analyzing the Time Efficiency of Nonrecursive Algoritms

```
ALGORITHM UniqueElements(A[0..n-1])

//Determines whether all the elements in a given array are distinct

//Input: An array A[0..n-1]

//Output: Returns "true" if all the elements in A are distinct

// and "false" otherwise

for i \leftarrow 0 to n-2 do

for j \leftarrow i+1 to n-1 do

if A[i] = A[j]

return false

return true
```

Analyzing the Time Efficiency of Nonrecursive Algoritms

$$\sum_{i=l}^{u} 1 = u - l + 1 \quad \text{where } l \le u \qquad \sum_{i=0}^{n} i = \sum_{i=1}^{n} i = 1 + 2 + \dots + n = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$$

$$C_{worst}(n) = \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} \sum_{j=i+1}^{n-1} 1 = \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} [(n-1) - (i+1) + 1] = \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} (n-1-i)$$

$$= \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} (n-1) - \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} i = (n-1) \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} 1 - \frac{(n-2)(n-1)}{2}$$

$$= (n-1)^2 - \frac{(n-2)(n-1)}{2} = \frac{(n-1)n}{2} \approx \frac{1}{2} n^2 \in \Theta(n^2).$$

Analyzing the Time Efficiency of Nonrecursive Algoritms

```
ALGORITHM MatrixMultiplication(A[0..n-1, 0..n-1], B[0..n-1, 0..n-1]) //Multiplies two square matrices of order n by the definition-based algorithm //Input: Two n \times n matrices A and B //Output: Matrix C = AB for i \leftarrow 0 to n-1 do for j \leftarrow 0 to n-1 do C[i,j] \leftarrow 0.0 C[i,j] \leftarrow 0.0 for k \leftarrow 0 to n-1 do C[i,j] \leftarrow C[i,j] + A[i,k] * B[k,j] return C
```

Analyzing the Time Efficiency of Nonrecursive Algoritms

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ALGORITHM Binary(n)
//Input: A positive decimal integer n
//Output: The number of binary digits in n's binary representation count \leftarrow 1
while n > 1 do
count \leftarrow count + 1 \qquad \lfloor \log_2 n \rfloor + 1
n \leftarrow n/2
return count
```

Mathematical Analysis of Recursive Algorithms

```
ALGORITHM F(n)
//Computes n! recursively
//Input: A nonnegative integer n
//Output: The value of n!
    if n = 0 return 1
        else return F(n - 1) * n
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Mathematical Analysis of Recursive Algorithms

$$F(n) = F(n-1) \cdot n$$
 Recurrence Relation
$$M(n) = M(n-1) + 1 \quad \text{for } n>0$$
 to compute to multiply
$$F(n-1) \quad F(n-1) \text{ by } n$$
 Number Of Multiplications

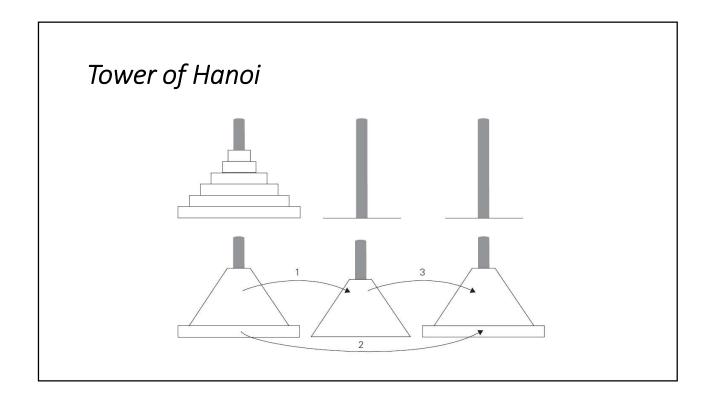
Method of Backward Substitutions

$$M(n) = M(n-1) + 1$$
 substitute $M(n-1) = M(n-2) + 1$
 $= [M(n-2) + 1] + 1 = M(n-2) + 2$ substitute $M(n-2) = M(n-3) + 1$
 $= [M(n-3) + 1] + 2 = M(n-3) + 3$
 $M(n) = M(n-i) + i$

Since initial condition is specified for n = 0, we have to substitute i = n $M(n) = M(n-1) + 1 = \cdots = M(n-i) + i = \cdots = M(n-n) + n = n$

General Plan for Analyzing the Time Efficiency of Recursive Algorithms

- 1. Decide on a parameter (or parameters) indicating an input's size.
- 2. Identify the algorithm's basic operation
- **3.** Check whether the number of times the basic operation is executed can vary on different inputs of the same size
- **4.** Set up a recurrence relation, with an appropriate initial condition, for the number of times the basic operation is executed.
- **5.** Solve the recurrence or, at least, ascertain the order of growth of its solution.



Tower of Hanoi

$$M(n) = 2M(n-1) + 1 \quad \text{for } n > 1,$$

$$M(1) = 1$$

$$M(n) = 2M(n-1) + 1 \quad \text{sub. } M(n-1) = 2M(n-2) + 1$$

$$= 2[2M(n-2) + 1] + 1 = 2^2M(n-2) + 2 + 1 \quad \text{sub. } M(n-2) = 2M(n-3) + 1$$

$$= 2^2[2M(n-3) + 1] + 2 + 1 = 2^3M(n-3) + 2^2 + 2 + 1.$$

$$M(n) = 2^iM(n-i) + 2^{i-1} + 2^{i-2} + \dots + 2 + 1 = 2^iM(n-i) + 2^i - 1$$

$$n = 1, \text{ which is achieved for } i = n - 1$$

$$M(n) = 2^{n-1}M(n-(n-1)) + 2^{n-1} - 1$$

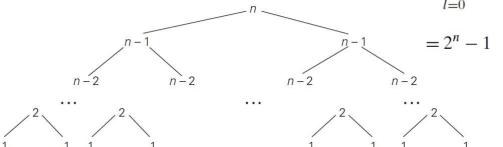
$$= 2^{n-1}M(1) + 2^{n-1} - 1 = 2^{n-1} + 2^{n-1} - 1 = 2^n - 1$$

Tree of recursive calls

 $C(n) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty}$

Total number of calls

• Nodes correspond to recursive calls



Binary Digits

ALGORITHM BinRec(n)

//Input: A positive decimal integer n

//Output: The number of binary digits in n's binary representation

if n = 1 return 1

else return $BinRec(\lfloor n/2 \rfloor) + 1$

The number of additions made increase the returned value by 1

$$A(n) = A(\lfloor n/2 \rfloor) + 1$$
 for $n > 1$.

when n is equal to 1 and there are no additions made

$$A(1) = 0$$

$$A(2^{k}) = A(2^{k-1}) + 1$$
 substitute $A(2^{k-1}) = A(2^{k-2}) + 1$
$$= [A(2^{k-2}) + 1] + 1 = A(2^{k-2}) + 2$$
 substitute $A(2^{k-2}) = A(2^{k-3}) + 1$
$$= [A(2^{k-3}) + 1] + 2 = A(2^{k-3}) + 3$$
 ...
$$= A(2^{k-i}) + i$$
 ...
$$= A(2^{k-k}) + k.$$

$$A(2^{k}) = A(1) + k = k,$$

 $n = 2^k \quad k = \log_2 n,$

 $A(n) = \log_2 n \in \Theta(\log n)$

 $A(2^k) = A(2^{k-1}) + 1$ for k > 0,

 $n = 2^k$

Fibonacci numbers

0, 1, 1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 13, 21, 34, ...
$$F(n) = F(n-1) + F(n-2) \quad \text{for } n > 1$$

$$F(0) = 0, \qquad F(1) = 1.$$

ALGORITHM F(n)

//Computes the nth Fibonacci number recursively by using its definition

//Input: A nonnegative integer n

//Output: The *n*th Fibonacci number

if $n \le 1$ return n

else return F(n-1) + F(n-2)

Fibonacci numbers

$$2^{0} \qquad \qquad T(n)$$

$$2^{1} \qquad T(n-1) \qquad T(n-2)$$

$$2^{2} \qquad T(n-2) \qquad T(n-3) \qquad T(n-3) \qquad T(n-4)$$

$$2^{3} \qquad T(n-3) \qquad T(n-4)T(n-4) \qquad T(n-5) \qquad T(n) = \bigoplus (\text{golden_ratio}^{n})$$

$$\vdots \qquad T(n-4) \qquad T(n-5)$$

$$2^{n} \qquad \qquad \qquad \text{golden ratio} = (\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2}) \approx 1.618$$

$$upper bound \qquad \qquad (\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2})^{n} < 2^{n}$$

• Compare order of growths of the given functions

• n(n + 1) and $2000n^2$?

 n^2

same

• 100n² and 0.01n³

 n^2

 n^3

quadratic and qubic

• log₂ n and ln n

$$egin{aligned} log_b a &= rac{log_x a}{log_x b} \ log_2 n &= rac{lnn}{ln2} \ &= rac{1}{ln2} \cdot lnn \end{aligned}$$

 $log_2 n = rac{1}{ln2} \cdot lnn pprox lnn$

• (n-1)! and n!

?

 $n! = n^* (n-1)!$ n! has a higher order of growth

Exercises

Find the order of growth of the following sums. Use the $\Theta(g(n))$ notation with the simplest function g(n) possible.

$$\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (i^2 + 1)^2$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n i^k pprox rac{1}{k+1} n^{k+1}$$

$$egin{split} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (i^2+1)^2 &= \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (i^4+2i^2+1) \ &pprox \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} i^4 = \sum_{i=1}^n i^4 + 0^4 - n^4 \ &= \sum_{i=1}^n i^4 - n^4 \ &pprox rac{1}{4+1} n^{4+1} - n^4 \ &= rac{1}{5} n^5 - n^4 \ &pprox rac{1}{5} n^5 \in \Theta(n^5) \end{split}$$

ALGORITHM *Mystery(n)*

//Input: A nonnegative integer n

S ←0

for $i \leftarrow 1$ to n do

 $S \leftarrow S + i * i$

return S

What does this algorithm compute?

What is its basic operation?

How many times is the basic operation executed?

What is the efficiency class of this algorithm?

Possible improvement?

$$C(n) = \sum^n 1 = n$$

$$C(n)=n\in\Theta(n)$$

$$S(n) = \sum_{i=1}^n i^2 = 1^2 + 2^2 + ... + n^2 = rac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}$$

$$\Theta(1)$$

ALGORITHM Secret(A[0..n-1])

//Input: An array A[0..n-1] of n real numbers

 $minval \leftarrow A[0]; maxval \leftarrow A[0]$

for $i \leftarrow 1$ to n-1 do

if A[i] < minval

 $minval \leftarrow A[i]$

if A[i] > maxval

 $maxval \leftarrow A[i]$

return maxval - minval

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Possible improvement?

$$C(n) = \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} 2 = 2(n-1)$$

$$C(n)=2(n-1)=2n-2pprox 2n\in\Theta(n)$$

ALGORITHM Enigma(A[0..n - 1, 0..n - 1])

//Input: A matrix A[0..n - 1, 0..n - 1] of real numbers

for $i \leftarrow 0$ to n - 2 do

for $j \leftarrow i + 1$ to n - 1 do

if A[i, j] = A[j, i]

return false

return true

What does this algorithm compute?

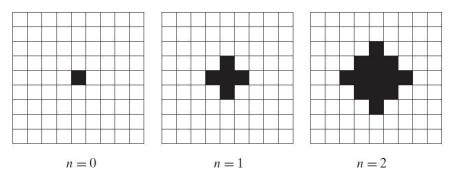
What is its basic operation?

How many times is the basic operation executed?

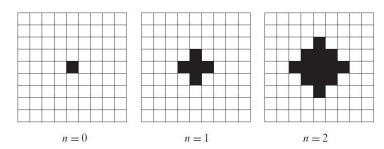
What is the efficiency class of this algorithm?

Possible improvement?

$$\begin{split} &= \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} \sum_{j=i+1}^{n-1} 1 \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} \left[(n-1) - (i+1) + 1 \right] \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} \left[n-i-1 \right] \\ &= (n-1) + (n-2) + \dots + (n-(n-2)-1) \\ &= (n-1) + (n-2) + \dots + 1 \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} i = \frac{(n-1)n}{2} \end{split}$$



- How many one-by-one squares are there after *n* iterations?
- What about time complexity?



- •C(0)=1
- •C(1)=5=1+4=1+4*1=C(0)+4*1
- •C(2)=13=5+8=5+4*2=C(1)+4*2
- •C(3)=25=13+12=13+4*3=C(2)+4*3
- C(n)=C(n-1)+4*n, for all $n \ge 0$, C(0)=1

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C(n)=C(n-1)+4*n C(n-1)=C(n-2)+4(n-1)

C(n)=C(n-2)+4*(n-1)+4*n C(n-2)=C(n-3)+4(n-2)

C(n)=C(n-3)+4*(n-2)+4*(n-1)+4*n ...

C(n)=C(n-i)+4*(n-i+1)+4*(n-i+2)+..4*n

n-i=0, n=i

C(n)=C(0)+4*1+4*2+..+4*n

C(n)=1+4+4*2+..+4*n

C(n)=1+4(1+2+..+n)

=1+2n*(n+1)

=2n^2+2n+1
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